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Dear Sirs:

I am in receipt of your letter regarding the above matter. I am not employed by Tate Snyder Kimsey. I did receive a request from a member of the Tate Snyder Kimsey firm to make a contribution to Senator Harry Reid's luncheon sponsored by Tate Snyder Kimsey in late January 2009. I, at no time, contributed any money to Senator Harry Reid and did not attend the luncheon. In addition, IBE Consulting Engineers, Inc. of which I am one of the owners made no contribution to Harry Reid's luncheon. At no time was I pressured or threatened to contribute, nor was my company threatened or pressured to contribute, that it would not receive further work from Tate Snyder Kimsey. I request that no action be taken against me or my company.

Sincerely,

IBE Consulting Engineers

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "J. Gautrey".

John Gautrey PE
Principal, CFO

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